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The Paducah Sun.

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PADUCAH, KY., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1905.

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HUNDRED AND FIFTY MINERS ENTOMBED

Over Sixty Bodies Already Taken Out By the Rescuers.

An Awful Disaster at the Virginia Mines, in Alabama, Results From Explosion.

NO HOPE FOR THE IMPRISONED VICTIMS

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 21.—Rescuers at work in the Virginia mines, where an explosion occurred last evening, imprisoning one hundred and fifty miners, labored all night digging through the tons of debris in their effort to reach the entombed men.

They report that sixty bodies have been found.

A telephone message from Bessemer says that all hope of finding the men alive has been abandoned.

The mine is permeated with after damp, making it impossible for anyone to live in it.

DETAILS LACKING.

Birmingham, Feb. 21.—Details of the disaster at the Virginia mines are lacking. The camp is almost isolated from the rest of the world as there is no telephone station at Virginia and the only wire running to the place is a dispatcher's wire of the Birmingham mine railway on which Virginia is located.

The number of men in the mine is now estimated at 110 to 135 and it is believed all are dead.

The very best class of miners were employed there and all belonged to the United Mine Workers of America.

Relief trains with surgeons and workmen were dispatched from both Birmingham and Bessemer.

At midnight they had not gotten half way through the mass of debris.

The explosion is believed to have been caused by an accumulation of gas although the mine has heretofore been noted for being entirely free from gas.

THE EARLIER REPORTS.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 21.—By an explosion in the Virginia mine, seven miles below Bessemer, over two hundred miners have been entombed. It is reported that 107 dead bodies of the entombed men have been taken out of the mine since the frightful catastrophe.

DUE TO CAVE IN.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 21.—Reports received late tonight from the Virginia explosion state that 105 men are entombed and that it is believed they are dead.

Every effort is being made to reach the men, but that they cannot possibly succeed before morning.

It is stated that the accident was caused by cave in due to the giving way of the timbers.

MEN IN THE MINE.

Birmingham, Feb. 21.—Two bodies, one white and the other colored, were taken from the Virginia mines this afternoon. It is now known that there were one hundred and sixteen men in the mine when the explosion occurred. It is not thought possible that any are alive.

DAY'S DEATHS

T. J. BRENTON DIED ON BOCKMON STREET OF CANCER.

Alex Russell Died From Pneumonia After Few Weeks' Illness

Mr. T. J. Brenton, of Eighth and Bockmon streets, died this morning at 11 o'clock of cancer after a lingering illness. He was a farmer, came to Paducah from Illinois, and leaves a wife and three daughters. The funeral will take place Wednesday, burial at Morrison cemetery in Illinois.

Alex Russell, aged 48, died at 1628 Jones street, this morning at 8 o'clock of pneumonia after a few weeks' illness. He was born in Cadiz and was a member of the Maccabees order. The funeral will be held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Fields officiating, interment at Oak Grove.

The deceased leaves a wife and five children.

The second twin of Mr. Sam Gamble, of the O'Bryan addition, died last night of congestion of the lungs and the body will be shipped to Mayfield this afternoon for interment. The first twin died on the 17th.

The funeral of Wm. Bass, who died at No. 12 Huntington Row night before last, took place this afternoon at 3 o'clock, interment at Oak Grove.

Mrs. J. W. Spillman, of Cincinnati, a sister of Wm. Dicke, better known as "Doc" Dicke, who died here two weeks ago, has written Undertakers Nance & Pool a letter thanking them for the good treatment given the deceased. The body was shipped to Cincinnati from Paducah.

ONE RESIGNS

DR. HORACE RIVERS QUILTS THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

The resignation to Be Presented to the Board of Aldermen.

Dr. Horace T. Rivers this afternoon handed Mayor D. A. Yeiser his resignation as a member of the Paducah board of health.

No cause is assigned and the board loses a valuable member as Dr. Rivers is one of the most progressive physicians in Paducah.

The resignation will be read to the board of aldermen Thursday evening at its regular meeting, and the resignation doubtless accepted, and a successor elected.

The board of health has not been very active lately, and there will soon be several vacancies on it, the terms of some of the members having about expired.

TEXAS FIELDS

May Be Personally Inquired Into By the President.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Roosevelt will probably make a personal investigation of the oil situation in Texas when he makes his trip to San Antonio next month. The Standard is said to have practically ruined the Beaumont field by its monopoly and secret rate contracts with the railroads of the state.

Gorge Ready to Break.

At last accounts the big gorge in the Ohio river above Carrsville had not broken, but it is not expected to hold more than 24 hours, at the most. Little or no damage is feared from it, as the ice is now pretty soggy, and much of it will straightway sink.

MILLION AND HALF LOSS FROM FIRE

A Big Blaze at Hoosiac Tunnel Docks.

Two Steamers Have a Close Call From Destruction—Wreck On Rock Island Railroad.

TWO KILLED, FOURTEEN HURT.

Boston, Feb. 21.—A fire which started early this morning at Hoosiac Tunnel docks caused the loss of a million and a half.

The steamships Dalton Hall and Philadelphia were badly damaged.

Two firemen and one of the Philadelphia crew were badly injured. It was reported several sailors were missing, probably drowned, but all have now been accounted for. The excellent work of fire boats saved the Philadelphia from being totally destroyed.

Fatal Rock Island Wreck.

Des Moines, Ia., Feb. 21.—Two are dead and fourteen injured as the result of an accident to the Rock Island Flyer near Wiota.

The dead:

Henry Mehler, Des Moines.

Rev. J. H. Johnson, of Christian church, Harlan, Iowa.

Injured:

Geo. West, Geneseo, Ill.

J. J. Brown, Harper, Kansas.

Albert Brady, Sullivan, Ind.

Geo. Leventur, San Francisco.

Frank Bradley, Des Moines.

L. J. Courney, W. P. Kerwin, E. F. Dittenbaugh, A. E. Cobb, Des Moines.

G. L. Todd, John Raymond, Henry Hughes, Davenport.

The accident was caused by a broken rail.

Four Killed.

St. Clairsville, O., Feb. 21.—Four men are dead and fourteen injured, three of them seriously, as the result of the explosion of a stationary boiler at No. 1 mine of the Provident Coal Company, near here.

The dead:

WM. ADAMS, president of the local branch of the United Mine Workers of America.

ELI MINTY, engineer.

FRANK MILLER.

MICHAEL MIANACH, an Italian miner.

Seriously injured:

James Loftus, skull crushed, leg and arm broken.

William Davis, leg broken and body lacerated.

David Thomas, arm broken.

Eleven Slav miners were cut, bruised or scalded, but none of their injuries are considered dangerous.

One Killed, Thirty Hurt.

Patterson, N. J., Feb. 21.—An east-bound train, known as the Middletown Flyer, on the Erie Railroad, jumped the track between Fairtown and Warren Point on the Berghin County Branch, three miles east of here. One girl was killed and it is believed about 50 persons were injured, some seriously.

The dead:

MISS GRACE MATTHEWS, of Sufferin, N. Y.

The entire train of five cars was ditched, but the locomotive remained on the track.

The cause of the accident is believed to be breaking of a flange on one of the car wheels.

The injured included: A. C. Whitner, Sufferin, N. Y.; several scalp wounds. Grace Newell, Middletown, lacerated scalp, possibly fracture of skull. Miss Vanhousen, Sufferin, N. Y. Miss Noonan, Chester, N. Y., scalp wound.

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O MAJOR CARRINGTON GETS

O TWELVE YEARS.

O Manila, Feb. 21.—Major

O Carrington was today sentenced to serve a term of 60

O years and five days for falsification of government vouchers for the amount of fifteen

O hundred dollars.

O He was tried and convicted

O on five counts and sentenced

O on each of these to twelve

O years and one day.

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O The way of the transgressor is

O hard—on his friends.

ATTACK EXPECTED BY THE RUSSIANS

Reported They are Throwing Up Earthworks Today.

Russian Reports Say Anarchy is Breaking Out in Many Places.

BALTIC FLEET STILL MOVES.

Tokio, Feb. 21.—Word has been received here that in preparation for an expected attack on Vladivostok by the Japanese the Russians are throwing up entrenchments on the northern bank of the Tumen river.

Gen. Stoessel There.

Theodosia, Crimea, Feb. 21.—Gen. Stoessel, the former Russian commander of Port Arthur, arrived this morning en route to St. Petersburg.

Small Attacks.

Tokio, Feb. 21.—Field Marshal Oyama reports a small infantry attack by the Japanese on Fang Shan Ya, and also reports that the Russians shelled Lansow Sunday.

Anarchy Runs Riot.

London, Feb. 21.—The Exchange Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent wires that private advices received there report that a state of anarchy is prevalent in the Provinces. Trains are destroyed, river navigation has stopped and the more peaceable element is said to be living in a state of terror.

Baltic Squadron Coaling.

Copenhagen, Feb. 21.—The Russian Third Baltic squadron is coaling today near the Shaw, preparatory to proceeding on its journey to the Far East.

ALLEGED SHOOTING.

White Men Arrested Here On Suspicion Today.

Bob Williams, and Ray Hughlin, white, were arrested this morning at the I. C. depot by Officers Dick Wood and Scott Ferguson for the alleged shooting into a house at Gilbertsville yesterday.

A telephone message was received this morning from Gilbertsville saying that the two men had come this way, and if possible to apprehend them. The police caught them at the depot and they are being held until the arrival of officers from Gilbertsville.

It is said the two men got drunk and shot about promiscuously one or two balls going through a house. They have nothing to say of the matter, but the police will not let them go under further advice from Gilbertsville.

LUCKY MAN.

Councilman McCarty Has a Good Streak of Luck.

Councilman McCarty last night drew a big horse; the property of Mr. Jim Bulger, in a raffle and has sold the animal to Fire Chief Wood and it is being used at No. 2 fire station. Councilman McCarty has been lucky of late, having been presented with several handsome meerschaum pipes, also being presented with an extra year term in the council to fill out a vacancy caused by the failure of a republican candidate to qualify.

It is easier for a man to bluff his creditors than his wife.

TODAY'S MARKETS

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
O May,	1.18 1/2	1.19 1/2
O July,	1.01 1/2	1.01 1/2
Corn—		
O May,46 1/2	.46 1/2
O July,47	.47 1/2
Oats—		
O May,30 1/2	.31 1/2
O July,30 1/2	.31
Pork—		
O May,	12.77	13.82
Cotton—		
O May,	7.46	7.53
O Mar.,	7.46	7.58
O July,	7.48	7.54
O Aug.,	7.60	7.57
Stocks—		
I. C.,	1.58	1.59
L. & N.,	1.38 1/2	1.38 1/2

SHERIFF POTTER RETAINS LAWYERS

Object Not Divulged, But Crisis Is Approaching.

Each Side Intimates Things May Become Warm for the Other Side.

FRIEND OF SHERIFF TALKS

Sheriff Lee Potter has retained the law firms of Wheeler, Hughes and Berry, and Bloomfield & Crice to represent him in the "muss" that has been raised in regard to the collection of county taxes. There seems to be considerable feeling developing in the contest, partly because of the alleged political features of the situation, and partly because a good many taxpayers have been convinced that they have had to pay too much taxes.

The attorneys retained by Sheriff Potter decline to discuss the case at present, but a friend of the sheriff is authority for the statement that a great deal could be told if it were advisable at this time, and that a great deal will be told in due time.

"You've heard the old saying about 'give a calf rope' declared one of the sheriff's supporters, and the sheriff has simply been letting out slack. He'll pull the rope taut when the time comes. The ground is going to open up and swallow up some of these fellows before they know it."

County Judge Lightfoot had nothing to say when approached by a reporter, except that he was unaware of the purpose for which Sheriff Potter has employed attorneys. He laughed when told about the earth swallowing somebody up, and said that he opined when it undertook that stunt it might close in on somebody who is not expecting it.

The work on the assessor's books at the courthouse is progressing slowly. A great many overcharges are alleged to have been found from the tax receipts, but on the other hand a friend of the sheriff said today that not half a dozen people had called at the sheriff's office to have these alleged overcharges corrected and get their money back which they can do at any time and that some of the figures made by the county judge's experts, when taken to the sheriff's office, were soon proven to be incorrect. This, however, is merely an unofficial statement, and the general public is patiently waiting for the finale of the affair.

There are rumors of damage suits and such things, but nothing definite can be ascertained about any of the reports.

Indianapolis Fire.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 21.—The following are the principal losses as estimated by a prominent Indianapolis insurance man in Sunday's fire:

Fabney & McCrea—Building, \$125,000; loss on stock, \$260,000; insurance, \$290,000.

A. Keifer Drug Co.—Building, \$70,000; stock, \$225,000; insurance, \$245,000.

Griffiths Bros.—Building, \$50,000; stock, \$150,000; insurance, \$160,000.

E. C. Delmetsch Co.—Building, \$50,000; stock, \$40,000; insurance, \$65,000.

Sherman house—Building, \$45,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$35,000.

Savoy hotel—Building, \$20,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$15,000.

St. Charles hotel—Building, \$12,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$11,000.

Muir Millinery Co.—Building, \$5,000; stock, \$10,000; insurance, \$13,000.

Total loss \$1,100,000.

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O MUCH BLOOD SHED IN A

O STREET FIGHT.

O St. Petersburg, Feb. 21.—

O Dispatches from Daku state

O that street fighting broke out

O there Sunday between Mus-

O sulmans and Armenians and

O thirty-five persons were kill-

O ed.

O Hostilities were resumed

O yesterday, and as the rioters

O were well armed, the police

O were unable to cope with the

O situation.

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DEPUTY JAILOR GOES TO NEW YORK

Harry Rudolph Witness Against Alleged Murderer.

Paul Herbert Schmidt to Be Placed On Trial For His Life at New York.

WAS LOCATED IN JAIL HERE.

Deputy County Jailer Harry Rudolph will leave tomorrow for New York to appear as a witness against Paul Herbert Schmidt, the young German arrested here for murder committed near Sherman, Conn., several months ago. A telegram was received at police headquarters this morning from Detective McCabe, of the Pinkerton forces, who is stationed at St. Louis, saying he would come to Paducah tomorrow to meet Rudolph and accompany him to New York. McCabe is the detective who worked the case up and secured the confession of Schmidt.

It will be remembered that Schmidt killed a farm hand named Taylor on the Crittenton farm near Sherman, Conn., and escaped to New York and then came south to Paducah. He worked for the I. C. and lived at Officer Tom Murray's house. Later he stole Murray's star and pistol while the officer was asleep and skipped out to Carbondale, Ill., but was arrested and returned.

While waiting in jail for trial, he wrote home to his mother in New York and the Pinkerton men saw the letter and suspecting it coming from the son, ordered Detective McCabe from St. Louis to Paducah to investigate. He brought a photograph and the police here recognized it as the man in jail. He was confronted and broke down, making a confession.

The confession was secured in writing and Deputy Jailer Rudolph witnessed it which makes it necessary that he be present at the trial to testify.

PADUCAH PLAYERS

ARE TO GO TO THE COTTON STATE LEAGUE.

Gerard and Gilligan Will Be Members of Cooney Best's of the Cotton States League.

A very good proof that the Kitty league is about as fast if not faster than the Cotton States league, is shown in the action of Cooney Best, formerly a pitcher and manager of the Paducah team two seasons ago, who will this season manage the Hattiesburg, Miss., team in the Cotton States league.

Best has signed Gerard and Gilligan and was after Hughes and Freeman. Gerard played third for Paducah and Gilligan short, Buck Freeman doing star work in the box. Hughes played first base for Cairo and if Best did not think the material here was fast enough, he would not be after the players. He says he expects to get a bunch together strong enough to take away the pennant and this is an indication that Cooney, who knows his business, thinks Kitty league players fast enough to do this.

IN THE BALANCE.

Mechanicsburg Saloon Keeper's License May Be Revoked.

The first saloon keeper to be warranted for violation of the Sabbath since the city saloon licenses were renewed a few weeks ago, is James Loftin, a saloon keeper of Mechanicsburg. His case was called in police court today and continued.

A great deal of interest is being manifested in the case. Mayor Yeiser announced some weeks ago that he would hereafter revoke the license of every saloon keeper thereafter convicted in police court for selling on the Sabbath. No licenses have been revoked, because none of the saloon keepers have been arrested and convicted.

Many of life's so-called luxuries are but base imitations.

NIP AND TUCK IN THE CONTESTS

Mr. Dunaway Assumes the Lead In Men's Contest.

There Are However No Changes in the Other Contests Today.

HOW THEY STAND TODAY

Mr. Dunaway and Mr. Gilbert are having a pretty race in their contest. One day one leads and the next day the other comes to the front. Today Mr. Dunaway is leading.

There are no changes in the other contests, but the interest and rivalry is keen and this week will see the biggest voting yet.

MEN'S CONTEST.

John Dunaway	54,983
R. A. (Bert) Gilbert	51,309
Dr. Adrian Hoyer	25,099
T. W. Roberts	22,660
Willie Pierce	15,323
Russell Long	7,396
John Austin	6,829
John Tranham	6,113
Ed. Wheeler	4,502
"Gus" Budde	4,225
John Dye	2,200
H. L. Judd	1,754
J. G. Switzer	277
Virgil Berry	113
Thos. Sisson	80
Jo Vance	20
R. L. Beck	1

MOST POPULAR LADY.

Miss Pauline Hinton	75,726
Mrs. A. Denker	58,229
Mrs. Albert Meyers	31,354
Mrs. Chas. Holliday	15,407
Mrs. Amanda Iseman	6,290
Mrs. Henry Lenhard	3,972
Miss Lizzie Eddington	705
Mrs. Whitmer	271
Miss Zola Farnesley	159
Miss Bertie Pointer	148
Miss Bertha Kettler	140
Miss Addie Roper	110
Miss Maud Barnett	15

LADY ON RURAL ROUTES.

Miss Halleene Yancey	38,346
Miss Mabel Hough	35,457
Mrs. Howard Randle	34,321
Lizzie Lawrence	2,855
Miss Mamie Bell	796
Lucy Chiles	217
Mrs. Emma Hall	217

MAN ON RURAL ROUTES.

J. C. (Pet) Rives	47,477
Dr. L. E. Young	44,316
J. W. Harris	30,604
Chas. Thornhill	5,600
W. T. Lawrence	1,315
F. H. Chiles	502
R. A. Walston	157
Gus Grouse	15
Clint Randle	26

The prizes to be given away are as follows:

To the most popular ladies in Paducah:

A piano,
A Gold Watch,
An Umbrella.

To the most popular men in Paducah:

\$100 in Gold,
A Gold Watch,
An Umbrella.

To the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Gold Watch.

To the most popular man residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Buggy.

Everyone is entitled to a vote in each of these contests. All you have

to do is to fill out the ballots to be found in each issue of The Sun and send them in. You will note that the ballots have a time limit—must be voted within a week of the date thereon.

Special coupons of votes will be issued for payments on subscriptions, and we would call everyone's attention to the fact that subscriptions paid now are worth double what they will be worth in March. For instance: 40c will pay for The Sun one month and entitle you to 80 votes, if paid now. The same subscription paid in March will entitle you to only 40 votes. A year's subscription, \$4.50, will entitle you to 1100 votes, if paid now; in March, if you wait it will be worth only 500 votes. Thus you see the wisdom of sending in your subscriptions early.

The piano is "The Valley Gem," sold by W. T. Miller, and is one of the best pianos he sells. It is valued at \$250.

The watch for the first contest is on exhibition at Nagel & Meyer's, for the second at J. L. Wolff's, for the third contest, at Warren & Warren's. The buggy for the most popular man in the county, is one Powell & Rogers sell for \$65, and can be seen at their place of business.

I vote for

As the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in the county.
Not good after February 27.

I vote for

As the most popular man residing on the rural routes in the county.
Not good after February 27.

I vote for

As the most popular lady in Paducah.
Not good after February 27.

I vote for

As the most popular man in Paducah.
Not good after February 27.

Inauguration Rates.

On account of the Presidential Inauguration ceremonies at Washington, D. C., March 4th, 1905, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., and return, on March 1, 2, and 3 for \$21.50 from Paducah, good for continuous passage only in each direction, and until March 8th, to return with the privilege of extension until March 18th, by personally depositing ticket with Joint Agent at Washington, D. C., not later than March 8th, and upon payment of \$1 additional.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent,
G. C. WARFIELD, Ticket Agt.

THE PADUCAH BANKING COMPANY
Solicits deposits be the ever so small.

THIRD STREET WILL BE RECONSTRUCTED

If Action of the Council Counts for Anything.

City Solicitor Puryear Decides Ten-Year Plan Cannot Be Adopted at the Present.

BUSINESS OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the councilmanic board was held last night, and the most important matters decided were the reconstruction of Third street from Kentucky to Fourth and Broad, the first passage of an ordinance requiring connection with the sanitary sewerage by May 1, 1908, and the rendering of an opinion by the city solicitor that the ten-year plan of paying for street reconstruction cannot be adopted in Paducah under present conditions.

Councilman John Rehkopf was the only member of the board absent.

Mayor Yeiser reported that he had signed the ordinances pertaining to the back tax collector and city electrician.

Mayor Yeiser presented the formal resignation of City Physician Robert Rivers which was accepted and the appointment of Dr. Johnston Bass, temporarily, ratified.

Summons in a suit brought by John Porter against the city for \$10,000 damages were filed, and referred to the city solicitor; also summons in a suit brought by Dr. Foster against the city for \$5,000 damages for personal injuries.

A petition from residents on Tennessee street from 12th to 17th street, for a walk of some kind, was presented. Mayor Yeiser stated that he understood another petition was being gotten up for another plank walk near this section, and his recommendation to refer to the board of public works was ratified.

The mayor stated that there was a debt of over \$2,000 on the new city hospital, and suggested that the old hospital be sold and the debts of the new hospital wiped out. His suggestion that the old hospital be advertised for sale was amended and a motion to refer to Mayor Yeiser was adopted.

The matter of renting a portion of the Potter farm, which was bought for new cemetery purposes, was referred to the cemetery committee. A farmer wanted to build a barn in one corner of the farm.

Specifications for building a plank walk on South Sixth street, from George to Bockman street, were presented by the board of public works. The cost would be \$325, because piles would have to be driven to prevent the walk from washing away. The board of public works simply asked the will of the council—whether the walk be built or not.

The motion to refer to the joint street committee was adopted.

The board of public works reported that one trestle on Caldwell avenue, near the I. C. depot, was in a bad condition, and suggested that a concrete culvert be built or the trestle be rebuilt. As this improvement will benefit the I. C. railroad and Paducah City Railway Co. the matter was referred to the joint street committee to see if they will stand part of the expense.

Secretary Saunders Fowler, of the board of public works, reported that he had been in correspondence with government officials relative to improvements to Livingston Point to protect the local harbor and stated the inspectors could do nothing more than make an inspection this year. The report was received and filed.

The finance committee's report, showing the expenditures in salaries, etc., was received and filed. It showed a total expenditure of \$2,322.83.

Ordinance providing for the reconstruction of South Third street, from Kentucky avenue to Fourth and Broad streets, was read. Councilman Kolb moved the ordinance be placed on first passage. Councilman Riglesberger read a petition from property owners on South Third street urging the board not to pass the ordinance because they did not think the street needed any improvements other than what have been made the past few years.

Mr. George Jones, an ex-councilman, stated that Broad street was not a legal street on account of defective

survey, and urged that before the city started improving this street, from Third to Fourth street, it "right" the street and make it a legal one. He stated that some houses on that street were built on city property and he himself had a porch to his residence built on city property. He stated the street one way was eight feet off the right line, and several residences were standing on the pavement line.

The motion to give the ordinance first passage was carried by a vote of 10 to 1. Councilman Riglesberger voting nay.

An ordinance providing for the reconstruction of pavements on South Third street from Kentucky avenue to Broad and Broad to Fourth street, was read.

Councilman McBroom stated he had been informed that the property owners on this street could not have the ten year pay plan, this being the opinion of the city solicitor, and he would suggest the matter be deferred in order to give the solicitor more time to look the matter up and see if the ten year plan could not be given the taxpayers. He also suggested the pavements be reconstructed on one side only—that side where the manufacturing concerns were located—they being in a better position to pay for improvements—and there really being no necessity of improving more than one side of the street.

The motion to improve by concrete pavements was lost by a vote of eight to three, Councilmen Barnett, Dilk and Taylor voting nay.

Members of the board of public works stated that the council had better repeal the street improvement ordinance as it would be impossible to improve the street without pavements.

Councilman Gilson stated if the taxpayers were given the right to put in any kind of pavements they wanted to suit the size of their pocketbooks, as they were permitted to do down town, he thought the taxpayers would not object.

Councilman Taylor stated that the "poor man" and "widow woman" were the first to pay their debts, and not to pay any attention to them for they were saving up for this improvement, and the only ones kicking were the rich men along the lines of improvement.

The motion to reconsider the action taken in the pavement improvement was carried, Councilman Riglesberger voting nay.

Mr. W. F. Hummel stated he owned some property on Third street and didn't want to see the improvement killed and favored using some of the curbing now being used on that street. He wanted the council to allow the property owners to select what ever material they wanted.

Councilman Barnett stated he was not in favor of letting the taxpayers select the kind of material for pavements, but wanted it to be uniform and if concrete was selected, to have concrete, and if brick, let it be brick, but at all hazards not to mix it up and have a little of both.

Councilman McBroom moved that the pavements be paved with brick from Adams only to Fourth and Broad streets, which was carried by a vote of eight to three, Councilmen McCarty, Riglesberger and Taylor voting nay.

The original ordinance, amended by the McBroom motion, was given first passage by a vote of ten to one, Councilman Riglesberger voting nay.

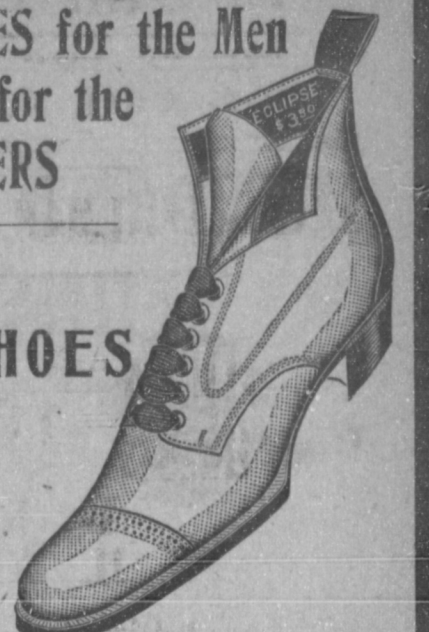
The telephone franchise ordinance was given second passage.

The ordinance fixing a big license tax on investment companies was given second passage.

Second passage was given the ordinance providing for compulsory connections with the sanitary sewerage was given first passage. This includes all living within the sewer district, and the connections must be made by May 1, 1908.

The recommendations of the board

If a Popular Vote Was Taken WALK-OVER and ECLIPSE SHOES for the Men AND DOROTHY DODD SHOES for the Ladies Would be the WINNERS



Don't forget that we carry a large assortment of

RUBBER BOOTS AND SHOES

Also a full line of boys' and girls' dependable

School Shoes

GEO. ROCK 321 BROADWAY



GRAY HAIR RESTORED

If age, worry or sickness has brought you white hairs, or if nature has been unkind in giving you hair of an objectionable color, it can be remedied with **Walnutta Hair Stain**. This rich and harmless stain restores gray, streaked or bleached hair or beard instantaneously with no evil effect, and gives any shade from light brown to black. Does not wash or rub off—contains no poisons and is not sticky or greasy. Price 60c. All Druggists. Trial bottle sent free on receipt of this advertisement and 4c. postage by THE PACIFIC TRADING CO., St. Louis, Mo. For Sale and Guaranteed by **W. B. McPHERSON, Druggist.**

of public works in regard to the streets to be improved were read. The board of aldermen eliminated South Fifth from Kentucky avenue to Norton, but the council ordered the board to improve South Fifth as far as Jackson street.

A report from the public improvement committee was read. It provided for giving the city attorney offices in the property adjoining the city hall.

City Attorney Harrison stated he could not occupy the offices for business reasons, and also did City Solicitor Puryear. The report of the committee was adopted.

Scott Overton, colored, applied for liquor license at Tenth and Caldwell streets.

Mayor Yeiser stated he did not think R. C. Calissi and H. T. Hessig a good bond, and the matter was referred to the license committee.

The committee recommended that C. N. Levan be allowed to land at Elizabeth street with his ferryboat.

City Solicitor Puryear, who looked into the matter, stated that Levan had not taken the necessary steps in regard to state regulations, and would recommend that the matter be referred. More time was given the committee to look into the matter.

Sexton Wm. Porteous, of Oak Grove, was granted a leave of absence, and John Porteous appointed substitute.

City Clerk Bailey was ordered to have the union label put on all printed matter he secured for the city in the future.

A bill for \$82.50 from Col. Bud Dale, who gave a lot of house furnishings for the pest house, was referred to the financial committee. Col. Dale had smallpox in his hotel and when the patients were taken away, he let the health officers take some of the room furnishings.

City Solicitor Ed. H. Puryear rendered a written opinion that he did not believe that the ten-year plan of property owners paying for street reconstruction could be adopted under existing circumstances, and based his opinion largely on a court of appeals decision in the case of Covington vs. McKenna, the gist of which decision is that the bonds a city would have to issue to insure the payment within ten years of the debt owed by the property owners to the contractor, would be a debt within the meaning of the law, and would have to be voted by two-thirds of the voters. The bond of City Engineer L. A. Washington was accepted. On motion the board adjourned.

TO PREVENT THE GRIP

Laxative Bromo Quinine, the world-wide Cold and Grip remedy, removes the cause. Call for the full name and look for signature of E. W. Grove, 25c.

Vaccinating Many.

The physicians employed to do vaccinating throughout the city to prevent a spread of smallpox, are working hard and today are vaccinating between 8th and 10th, Kentucky avenue and Clark streets. They report the smallpox gradually dying out and say it will be only a few weeks before it is entirely gone. The vaccinating will go on however.

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IN KENTUCKY.

Remains of Willard Watson Will Be Buried.

The remains of Mr. Willard Watson, who died at Independence, Col., from pneumonia, will be taken to Mayfield for burial. His wife is also in a precarious condition there from pneumonia.

Mr. Watson was well known in Paducah, and was a prominent member of Mayfield lodge of Elks.

He was married January 13 to Miss Mary Reed, of Moberly, Mo.

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County Tax Books.

County Assessor John Hughes is working on the county tax books and will have them ten days longer, after which he will turn them over to the county clerk who will begin the work of recapitulation.

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Fancy Table Peaches, per can	15c

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TO PANAMA

POPULAR PADUCAH ENGINEER
SAILS TOMORROW FOR THE
ISTHMUS.

Has a Position Under the Govern-
ment—His Wife Leaves in
April.

Mr. Edwin A. Vickeroy, a popular
locomotive engineer of Sixth
and Broadway, sails from New Orleans
tomorrow for Panama, to accept a po-
sition under the government as an
engineer. He left Paducah Sunday
night for the Crescent City, and will
arrive at Panama in a few days.

His wife leaves in a few days for
Louisville on a visit, and will join
him at the isthmus early in April.
Mr. Vickeroy's many friends will be
pleased to hear of his success. He is
one of the most popular of Paducah's
many popular engineers, and those
who know him say that the canal
corps has a good man.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Secretary W. B. Godfrey represent-
ing the local Y. M. C. A. and Miss
Ora V. Leigh of the woman's com-
mittee, returned yesterday evening at
6 o'clock from the state Y. M. C. A.
convention which has been in session
at Owensboro.

It was quite a successful conven-
tion in every respect, although not
the largest in point of number, only
294 delegates being present. The
reports given in were excellent, and
the program speakers were of inter-
national reputation.

The men's meeting on Sunday af-
ternoon led by Mr. Michener of Chi-
cago, was a very large and inspiring
one.

Secretary Godfrey, who is secre-
tary of the boys' work for the state,
led a boys' meeting on Sunday af-
ternoon which was also largely attend-
ed and very interesting.

The closing session on Sunday ev-
ening overflowed the largest church
in Owensboro. Secretary H. E. Rose-
vear presided, and there were fifteen
speakers on the program. It was a
most interesting occasion.

At the woman's meeting on Friday
afternoon, Miss Leigh read an able
paper, dealing with some practical
experience in the woman's committee
work. This meeting was a new fea-
ture in convention work.

Notice.

All members of Ingleside Rebekah
Lodge No. 17, I. O. O. F., are urgent-
ly requested to attend the regular
meeting Wednesday evening, Febru-
ary 22, 1905.

Degree team please attend for work
in initiation also vacancies in staff
to be filled.

By order of Captain

T. J. STROUD.

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VICTIMS BETTER AND WILL RECOVER

No More Deaths Expected from
the Sedalia Explosion.

Details Received of the Disaster—
Boiler Gave Way Without
Warning.

CHILDREN HAVE A CLOSE CALL.

There have been no other deaths
at Sedalia, Graves county, from the
explosion of Ray Bros. flour mill Sat-
urday, but the victims who were
worst hurt are not yet out of danger.
The funeral of George Lambert, the
farmer killed, were buried at Leba-
non. He leaves a wife and several
children.

Further details of the disaster are
that Bud Ray, the engineer, was not
in the engine room as he had start-
ed the engine and had stepped up
stairs into the office. Mr. Lambert,
a farmer, had brought his wheat and
was just preparing to leave for home.
James Wyatt, a farmer, was outside
arranging his team to leave for home
and the concussion was so great that
he was hurled several yards over a
fence and on to a pond of ice. He
received slight injuries. One of his
horses was struck by a flying frag-
ment and killed. Lambert's body
was found under the debris and every-
bone in his body broken. It is
thought that by the explosion he was
thrown up against the ceiling and
his body fell to the ground floor, all
the falling timbers and missiles fall-
ing on him, producing instant death.
All of the injured were in the office
except Miss Effie Ray, who was near
the door leading from the office to
the mill room proper and she received
her burns by the steam rushing
through the door. Her limbs were
painfully scalded.

The mill was a few hundred yards
east of Sedalia and was a flour and
grist mill, and a three-story struc-
ture. The engine room was on the
west side. The office was directly
over the engine room.

The boiler was torn into fragments
which were hurled in all directions,
a portion of it being found as far as
100 yards away from the mill.
There had been no fire in the furnace
for several days until Saturday.

The boiler is said to be very old
and had been in use for many years.
The exact cause of the explosion is
not known, but it is thought that ice
had formed in the boiler and other
pipes and in coming in contact with
the generating steam caused the boiler
to give way. There was about 80
pounds of steam registered when Mr.
Ray left the engine room. Lambert,
who was killed, was sitting in front
of the furnace warming his feet when
the explosion came. Zolan Ray, the
fireman, was near Lambert and both
were found close together after the
accident, covered with water and
timber. Bud Ray was standing near
the door of the engine room and was
struck in the back by the head end
of the boiler that blew out and was
hurled about 30 feet out into the
road. Ernest Ray and Miss Effie Ray
were at the telephone in the office
when struck by stray missiles.

MAY SELL.

Trustees Were Authorized to Do So
If They Get Good Offer.

The result of the conference held
at the Palmer House yesterday by the
trustees and creditors of the Sewa-
nee Spoke and Lumber Co., of Kut-
tawa relative to an adjustment of
the affairs of the company, was that
the trustees were authorized to sell
the business if a suitable offer is
made for it.

It is understood that a number of
small creditors who have claims not
exceeding \$400 are causing most of
the trouble, and the trustees were
authorized to settle with them for
fifty cents on the dollar, if possible.
There will be another meeting here
on March 14th.

Some people pay rent
who could well afford to
own homes—because they
have a drop and a half of
Gypsy blood in their veins.
If it's "time to move" with
you, read the ads. and find
that "right place" for which
you have so long looked.

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For Chapped Hands, Cracked
Lips and Rough Skin try
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Theatrical Notes

The public of Paducah will have
an opportunity to visit a new coun-
try, namely the Province of Yang-
Yang, the part of the flowery king-
dom in which the action of "A Chi-
nese Honeymoon" takes place, when
this English musical comedy is again
presented at the Kentucky theater,
where it begins an engagement Wed-
nesday, matinee and night. The land
of tea-houses, mandarins and singing
girls has been used before, and with
success too, for a background for
musical comedies. As far as popular-
ity is concerned, however, "A Chi-
nese Honeymoon" can boast of a
longer record than any of them. This
is not only due to the fact that the
story is clever and attractive, but the
musical score also contains a num-
ber of melodies which have been sung
and whistled during the last twelve
months from coast to coast. The
chief part of the comedy element is
supplied by Miss Lillian Reed, an
English comedienne, whose methods
are absolutely new and deliciously
funny. The original Casino produc-
tion is promised this visit, and the
cast includes most of the principals
who had part in the record-breaking
New York run.

Nor the Hanging Gardens of Ba-
bylon, nor the Pyramids of Egypt
are as much a source of wonderment
and surprise as the perfection at-
tained by Mr. Howe in the art of
projecting moving pictures. Nor is
Mr. Howe's exhibition merely won-
derful. It possesses the rare charm
of amusing while it educates. The en-
tire program has such a skillful and
studied blending of varied scenes of
life and travel that it arouses the
enthusiasm of the most jaded amuse-
ment patron. The exhibition will be
presented at The Kentucky on Fri-
day night.

One act in "A Little Outcast,"
which is conceded to be the best
melodramatic production of the sea-
son, requires a sixty foot car to hold
the one set. The stage is cleared of
all other scenery to make room for
this gigantic setting and when the
curtain rises one of the most magnif-
icent stage pictures ever seen is dis-
played in a splendid night view of
New York harbor. The tall towering
buildings and the great dome of the
World building, which are visible
from the Battery, are brilliant with
hundreds of electric lights and stand
out against the night sky in a golden
glory.

At The Kentucky matinee and
night, next Saturday.

The sale of seats for the enter-
tainment to be given at The Ken-
tucky tonight for the benefit of the
Catholic church has been very large
and a big house is promised. Some
of the most talented of Paducah's tal-
ented people will contribute to the
program which will be a very enter-
taining one.

"The Sign of the Four" company
left at noon today for Carbondale,
Ill., to play tonight. The show came
near stranding here but raised enough
money to get out of town. It has
been having a bad tour through the
south, although it is a good show and
ought to be a money-maker.

Grace George left the all-star cast
of "The Two Orphans" last Saturday
and will appear at the head of her
own company again in Baltimore
February 14 in a new comedy by
Harrie K. Chalmers, entitled "Abi-
gail." It is a story of contemporary
life in the West Side boarding houses
of New York. Very little informa-
tion has been given out about the
new play, but William A. Brady con-
fidently expects that it will make a
sensation. Grace George's role is a
sort of West Side Trilby, whose en-
vironment amid the poverty-stricken
geniuses of New York is decidedly
picturesque and very instructive as a
character study.

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CARNIVAL TIME IS DRAWING NEAR

Officers for Year Elected Last
Night by Associations.

The First of the Carnival Repre-
sentatives Will Arrive Tomor-
row Sometime.

THREE SITES ARE IN VIEW

The Paducah Carnival association
is now getting ready for another
year of activity, and last night at its
annual meeting elected officers as fol-
lows:

G. R. Davis, president.
A. W. Greif, vice-president.
R. C. Davis, secretary and treasur-
er.

New directors chosen were: L. A.
Lagomarsino, G. R. Davis and Chas.
Weille and the new executive com-
mittee is L. A. Lagomarsino, G. R.
Davis, Charles Weille, Jeff J. Read
and Rodney Davis.

After the election of officers and
the appointment of the executive
committee, the committee opened let-
ters from carnival companies and
concession men.

The secretary has secured many let-
ters from persons wanting conces-
sions but nothing can be done until
the contract is let. The concessions
will be in charge of the secretary, as
heretofore.

A letter was received from the
Mundy company saying that Ira
Troupe, one of the show men Mr.
Mundy brought from the old country,
would arrive tomorrow, now being in
Chattanooga, and place a bid. A
letter was also received from the
Parker Co., saying that representative
J. H. Edwards would be here in a
few days, probably Friday, and the
contract may not be let before that
day. A letter was received from the
Famous Amusement Co., of Cincin-
nati, asking that the company be per-
mitted to bid. An invitation to send
a representative or sealed bids was
sent.

Secretary Rodney Davis stated this
morning that the preference of the
association for the carnival week
was from May 8 to 13, but this will
have to be determined by the carnival
company securing the contract.

As to the site, the association has
three in view. The one at 12th and
Trimble streets seems to be the great-
est favored, but if proper induc-
ements are offered some other site may
be selected.

The advertising will begin imme-
diately after the letting of the con-
tract and the committee will look af-
ter this work especially as judicious
advertising is the best means of se-
curing patronage. The county and
entire section of the state will be
thoroughly billed and the biggest pa-
tronage in the history of the city is
expected.

THE RED MEN

Are to Have Their First Memorial
Service Here Sunday.

Otego Tribe, Red Men, will Sun-
day hold the first memorial services
ever held by the Red Men in Padu-
cah. It is customary for the Red Men
to hold annual memorial exercises in
respect to the dead, as it is with the
Elks, Odd Fellows and other secret
orders, but the local lodge has never
yet held services of this character.

An elaborate program will be ren-
dered Sunday afternoon at the
Broadway Methodist church, begin-
ning at 2:30 p. m. Hon. R. T. Light-
foot will deliver a general address
and Hon. Alben Barkley will deliver
the oration.

There will be music and the usual
lodge ceremonies, and the public will
be welcome. The deceased members
of this lodge are: John McNulty,
Jesse M. Gilbert, Peter Rogers, Lacy
Dunn, H. C. Allison, George Detzel
and W. Gholson.

ONE APPLICANT.

For City School Census Enumer-
ator.

Dr. Pitcher, secretary of the school
board, stated that the board would
elect census enumerators at the next
meeting but so far but one man has
applied, so far as he knows, for a
position, he being Mr. Frank Dunn.

This year, by order of the higher
authorities at Frankfort, the enu-
merators will have to be very careful in
making the census as it has been
charged that padding has been going
on in some counties.

Lawyer C. C. Watts, of Smithland,
is in the city and contemplating lo-
cating here.

TO THE PEOPLE

EVERYBODY'S MAGAZINE for March with the latest instalment of
my story "Frenzied Finance" is out today.

BUY IT!

In it I begin the main story of the Crimes of Amalgamated.
I take up and handle fittingly, I think, some of the scoundrelly "Sys-
tem's" character thugs—deal with them and—deposit them.

Rogers' Man Friday, Denis Donahoe, and the "Martin Expose" they
have concocted I swing through the air once, twice, then with a mop-the-
gutter motion, drop.

I reach once for James H. Eckels, ex-controller of the currency of
the United States, the young financial phenomenon, who jiggled the big
Cleveland bond juggle, now president of the Commercial National bank of
Chicago, and who is steering for the "System" in the west in a split-
tongue, mud-slinging, after-dinner skit "Eckels plays Lawson the stock
jobber," which the insurance companies are circulating by the million—
I reach for him and think—get him. Anyway it is for you, the people, to
say.

James M. Beck, ex-assistant attorney general of the United States,
valiant "trust buster" and people's champion, who got such a peep be-
hind the government scenes in the Northern Securities holdup that he
was picked off by Rogers, Rockefeller and "Standard Oil" for legal adviser—I think I get three fingers and a thumb over and under his collar and
in a jerk, pull and twitch, expose just why James M. Beck is delivering
garbage bouquets before college and insurance round ups in the east,
tagged "Beck grills Lawson as a frenzied fakir."

This is the brilliant reformer who came to Boston on the eve of
the recent infamous gas trial and was so anxious that I should "match
up" my testimony with Rogers. Do you know what "matching up" testi-
mony means?

Other things and people of moment are man-handled and headed for
the hospital.

Let me say right here—this number of EVERYBODY'S contains Rus-
sell's second chapter on the Beef Trust which it behooves all patriotic
Americans to read. If this March number had no "Frenzied Finance,"
nothing but the Beef Trust story between its covers, I would willingly
contribute \$15,000 to \$20,000 worth of advertising to get it into the
hands of the people.

Last month the edition of EVERYBODY'S numbered 900,000—un-
precedented in the history of general magazine making an increase of
200,000 over the previous month. Stop and think that this 200,000 in-
crease in itself is much greater than the entire circulation of many of the
leading magazines of the country such as "Harper's," "Scribner's,"
"The Century" and "The Review of Reviews." Still, I calculated that ev-
ery copy would be sold within three days and that this month's edition
should be at least 1,100,000 or 1,200,000. I was mistaken. The west and
south stood right up and went ahead as in the other months, but the east
fell behind. They tell me it was because my instalment was slow and
heavy; that there was not enough raw-edged-and-bloody-boneness about
it. Maybe so, but it was the most important chapter I have yet written. It
is full of valuable educational material. It was a brain-clearer—absolutely
necessary to an understanding of the "System" and the Crimes of
Amalgamated. But with the lively chapter in the March issue, and the
tremendously hot installments that are to follow I feel that the halt in
the increase (this month's issue is the same as last, 900,000 copies) is
but momentary.

Let the American people, as they thumb over this exquisite March
number of EVERYBODY'S, ponder what Russell's and my work means.
Ireland at the end of a hundred years of tortured struggle for Home
Rule, will probably not attain that end before another five or ten have
passed.

The French were fifty years trying to exchange their royal collar for
the ballots of free men.

It took the stalwart strenuous Yankees a decade to convince Royal
George that his room was better than his company.

The Russians have been working their bloody kinetoscope night and
day in the interest of constitutional government, and are still at it.

Sixty days after the people had "Frenzied Finance" in their hands,
the "Standard Oil" monster was compelled after forty years of silence to
publicly doff its insolent bonnet to the people.

Three months after the people got their eyes fixed on the deviltries of
the "System" they elected as President a people's champion, with a popu-
lar majority greater than ever given any of his predecessors.

Four months after "Frenzied Finance" was introduced into American
homes three leading insurance companies were discharging their agents in
bunches, and the aggregate business of the three was falling off at the
rate of \$4,500,000 a week.

After five months, a single blast of truth from one man shook Wall
Street to its foundations and over \$200,000,000 of what the people have
been taught to believe was real values ran off into the gutter in the form
of dirty water.

In six months, for the first time in the history of our country, the
President of the United States was able to take by the throat the greatest
president combinations and trusts the world has ever known, and shake
them until their teeth chattered and their backs rattled like hung dried
corn in a fireplace when the wind gets at it.

In seven months the greatest national bank in the country, The City
Bank of New York, was being hung up by the heels where all the people
could see it in a lower and more contemptible transaction than I had even
accused it of.

In eight months one of the greatest insurance companies of America
was rent by internal dissension and its trustees were gouging and maul-
ing each other in a public brawl as to who saw the people's savings first
and who should have the larger part of the loot. Now these trustees of
a great and sacred institution are accusing each other of things and hint-
ing at crimes which even I have not touched upon.

And right here, in the beginning of my 9th chapter, Kansas—God
Bless her—has risen and is sweeping her end of the "System" into the
muddy waters of the Missouri to the tune of "Douse the dirty reptiles—
douse!"

The people should ponder these things as they read this month's
issue of

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Boston, February 20, 1905.



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Jan. 2 . . 2,994	Jan. 17 . . 3,039
Jan. 3 . . 2,986	Jan. 18 . . 3,044
Jan. 4 . . 2,989	Jan. 19 . . 3,046
Jan. 5 . . 2,994	Jan. 20 . . 3,046
Jan. 6 . . 3,007	Jan. 21 . . 4,827
Jan. 7 . . 4,139	Jan. 22 . . 3,049
Jan. 8 . . 3,013	Jan. 23 . . 4,588
Jan. 9 . . 3,014	Jan. 24 . . 3,053
Jan. 10 . . 3,025	Jan. 25 . . 3,053
Jan. 11 . . 3,028	Jan. 26 . . 3,055
Jan. 12 . . 3,035	Jan. 27 . . 4,797
Jan. 13 . . 4,660	Jan. 28 . . 3,058
Jan. 14 . . 3,033	Jan. 29 . . 3,067

Average for the month 3,332

Personally appeared before me
this day E. J. Paxton, general manager
of The Sun, who affirms that the
above statement of the circulation of
The Sun for the month of January,
1905, is true to the best of his
knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22,
1908.

Daily Thought.

There is no real getting back lost
time.—Thring.

The Weather.

Continued cloudy tonight and
Wednesday with slight changes in
temperature.

GET OUT AND HUSTLE.

In every community there is a class
of young men who are anxious and
willing to make a success of life and
who never get a start. They are al-
ways waiting for an opportunity to
begin and the opportunity never
comes, says the Memphis Scimitar.
The lash of necessity does not
scourge them into making an oppor-
tunity because they have friends or
families to care for them and keep
them from want and they hesitate to
get out and do something for them-
selves.They want to begin too high up
and believe that anything lower down
is beneath their dignity. This is a
wrong conception.There is no work beneath the dig-
nity of any one. There is no work
that cannot be dignified by doing it
well. There is no work that is digni-
fied when not done well. Doing a
thing well does not mean to excel
oneself at each successive effort—to
do one's best. Our greatest men be-
gan life in the most humble capacity,
in the most menial capacity at times.
In a free country where opportunity
is equal and where effort puts the
stamp of success on action no young
man should hesitate to plunge in.
Everybody cannot be a bank cash-
ier, and there are a good many bank
cashiers who wish they were differ-
ently engaged.In the north the sons of million-
aires graduate from Yale or Harvard,
spend a year or so abroad and then
return home, put on overalls and
jumper and go to work in a machine
shop or factory. They do not find
the work undignified. The royal fam-
ilies of Europe all learn a trade—the
present king of England is by trade
a bookbinder and his sons were made
able-bodied seamen. Clothes do not
mean dishonor. Work is not slavery
unless a slave performs it. Terence
and Aescop were slaves who by honest
effort burst the bondage of their en-
vironment and were manumitted.The country is filling up and the
struggle for existence is becoming
fiercer every day and young men
must not ride their high horses too
long and depend on some one else to
take care of them. They must get
down and go to doing something for
themselves. They should possess
something of the spirit of the boy
who, on being commiserated with
for having been left an orphan, re-
plied: "Yes, but I am the most fortu-
nate boy on earth. My father and
mother before dying left me thewhole United States to make a liv-
ing in."There is no room in the world for
drones or dreamers. "Life is real;
life is earnest." No one has a right
to depend on another when he is able
to take care of himself—in a bad
way to begin with, in a better way
when his efforts open up for him a
better way.

PROCEED WITH THE WORK

The administration seems deter-
mined to hang up the street improve-
ments for which the city voted bonds
as long as possible. It is obvious
from the antics of the majority fac-
tion that it will be a long time be-
fore anything is doing. The board of
works recommends, the council acts,
and the aldermen amend. Then the
ordinance, if it is an ordinance, goes
back to the board of works, is chang-
ed, investigated some more, and the
council takes another crack at it. The
aldermen decline to concur and in
this way the various ordinances
necessary before street improvements
can be made in Paducah may drift
about from one board to the other for
months without a single thing being
accomplished.The council has now ordered pave-
ments built according to a certain
plan on South Third street, and it is
reported the aldermen will refuse to
concur, because the aldermen sensibly
want the pavements uniform. Con-
crete would cost little more and
would be more substantial and more
attractive. We believe the people will
be glad in the long run if they go to
the extra expense of putting down
concrete, for it will give more satis-
faction.If it is true that the ten year plan
of paying for these improvements
has to be denied the property own-
ers, it will be unfortunate for some,
but need not delay the work. The
property owners on Second, Third,
Fourth and Fifth streets, and Broad-
way, had no ten years in which to
pay for the improvements. It would
doubtless be better for some to have
the privilege, but if they haven't it,
the reconstruction work can go on
just the same. Some citizens own
property and some do not. A man
even with a mortgaged house is
better off than the hundreds of citi-
zens who haven't a house at all. A
man who hasn't a piece of property
worth improving hasn't much, and
would be little worse off should he
lose it. The improvement for which a
property owner is expected to pay
makes the property proportionately
more valuable, in addition to the ap-
pearance and conveniences result-
ing from such improvements.The general idea seems to be that
this improvement should be begun as
soon as possible. The cost may be
hard on some, but the benefit to the
general public and the city will be
great, and is what is most sought
after.An ordinance has been given first
passage requiring sewerage connec-
tions but it is not effective for over
three years. We may all be dead from
yellow fever or the deadly typhoid
before then.

CHANGES HANDS.

Dr. J. F. Hugg Purchases the Gilbert
Drug Store at Twelfth and
Broadway.Dr. William J. Gilbert has sold his
drug store at Twelfth and Broadway
to Dr. J. F. Hugg, who has been as-
sociated for some time with his
brother in the drug business at
Twelfth and Monroe streets. Mr. Gil-
bert has for several weeks past been
traveling representative in this ter-
ritory for the Robinson-Pettit Drug
Company, and hasn't the time to
look after his drug business here. Dr.
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IT IS NOW UP TO BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Much Interest in the Third St.
Project.Aldermen Intimate They Do Not Like
Brick Sidewalks—Want Them
Uniform.

BOARD OF WORKS BOTHERED

The board of public works will
meet tomorrow afternoon and the
principal business will be the draw-
ing of ordinances providing for re-
constructing the streets settled on by
the boards.There is much speculation as to
whether or not the board of alder-
men will ratify the action of the
lower board in permitting prop-
erty owners to build either brick or
concrete sidewalks on South Third
beyond Adams. Several aldermen
have specifically stated they would
not stand for it and if the street is
to be improved the improvement
must be uniform.The board of public works will
draw up all ordinances possible by
Thursday night in order that the
board of aldermen may pick its
choice and settle on ordinances and
have the work ready to begin by
spring.The board will probably order the
resumption of work on the Kentucky
avenue sewers and also the Second
street, Broadway to Kentucky avenue
reconstruction as soon as better
weather arrives. The board has much
to look after but the members are
working hard and hope to have the
co-operation of both boards in the
street improvements.The board will also hear a report
of the city electrician relative to re-
pairs to armatures at the city elec-
tric light plant. The work is pro-
gressing nicely but it will be several
days yet before the armatures are
all completed and ready for service.

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Out—The City Cleaned Streets
Today.

MUNICIPAL NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. G. W. Gano, the electrical ex-
pert who made a partial inspection
of the business part of Paducah sev-
eral weeks ago, and had been detain-
ed at his home in Cincinnati for
sometime on account of the illness of
his mother, returned to Paducah
last night and is a guest at the Pal-
mer.Mr. Gano is only half through here
and found things when here before in
rather bad shape, and ordered radical
changes on penalty of having fire
insurance rates raised again in case
of a refusal.Mr. Gano, assisted by Commission-
er C. C. Rose, of Paducah, will com-
plete the work as soon as possible.
Written notice will be served on the
owners of all houses found to be im-
properly wired, and in case of failure
to comply with such notices, the un-
derwriters are expected to act. It is
likely several weeks will be required
to get things in shape.The footbridge across the hollow
from Eighth and Bockmon streets to
Sixth and George streets, has been
started by Contractor Ed Eaker. It
will cost about \$350.Contractor Charles Robertson has
gone to St. Louis to purchase wheel-
barrows, picks, shovels, and other
things necessary in excavating and
paving Second street from Broadway
to Kentucky. The work has been post-
poned for several weeks first on ac-
count of the holidays, and then on
account of bad weather, and Con-
tractor Robertson expects to begin
work as soon as possible now.The city has had the chains gang
out today breaking up the big
blocks of ice on the brick streets, and
having them hauled away, and the
improvement is considerable. For
three weeks or more the streets have
been dangerous in places and many
wagon loads of the ice were hauled
away in the city's wagons.Many gutters, in various parts of
the city are completely obstructed by
snow and ice, and the water is over
the edge of the pavements in some
localities. It will take considerable
time and work to clear all the gut-
ters, but the city has not accomplish-
ed much in this direction yet. Condi-
tions do not improve as every warm
day melts more ice and adds to the
volume of water that is being held
back by ice clogging the drain pipes
laid two or three years ago in place
of the wooden culverts.Mr. Charles E. Johnson, of the
Seagrave Co., of Columbus, O., left
last night for Mobile, Ala., and New
Orleans after conferring with Mayor
D. A. Yeiser and members of the
fire committee.He stopped off at Paducah to look
over the fire departments and to bid
on the new truck and chief's buggy
the committee will buy. He left his
bids with the mayor and they will
be opened when others have been
placed and the committee meets to
let the contract.The brick street in front of the No.
1 station house on North Fourth
street was cleaned this morning of all

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—The woman's foreign missionary society of the Broadway Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.

—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.

—Do you know who is the most popular lady in Paducah? The Sun does not, and will give a piano to the lady who it is decided is entitled to the honor. See the announcement of how it is to be decided who is the most popular lady in Paducah on page two of The Sun.

—The public schools at Smithland, Ky., have resumed after a suspension of several days on account of smallpox. All the patients in the pesthouse have been dismissed.

—The examination for Panama positions was completed at the government building today. It was held several days ago, but questions left out were forwarded and applicants required to answer them also.

—Miss Edna Earl Pugh, sister of Mrs. Gus Tate, of Paducah, who has appendicitis in Chicago, where she is visiting, is reported about the same, no late information having been received regarding her condition, which is not believed to be serious.

—The musical at The Kentucky tonight will begin promptly at 8:15. The program is an unusually attractive one and the indications are for one of the biggest houses The Kentucky has had this season, as one young lady sold nearly two hundred tickets.

Notice Maccabees.

All Sir Knight Maccabees will assemble at their hall at 8:30 a. m. Wednesday to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Alex Russell, 1628 Jones St. Burial at Oak Grove cemetery. JAS. WEILLE, R. K.

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Social Notes and About People.

National Fete to Open.

Tonight at 6 o'clock the "National Fete" to be given by the woman's committee of the Y. M. C. A. will open with an old-time New England dinner. This will be followed by a concert and reception which will include a number of attractive and taking features. During the evening Prof. Wm. Deal's orchestral band will render a delightful Wagnerian program.

The interior of the Rieke building, where the fete will be held, has been most elaborately decorated with national colors, and the different booths will be picturesque in effect. The country store will be made an especial attraction, no article there will be sold for more than five cents.

The officers of the woman's committee who have engineered this elaborate undertaking are: Mrs. Jas. A. Rudy, president; Mrs. Elbridge Palmer, vice president; Mrs. Frank Scott, treasurer.

The committees having the booths in charge are:

The dining room committee is composed of: Mrs. Charles James, Mrs. George Flournoy, Dr. Olivia Nelson, Miss Martha Leech, Miss Irene Scott, Miss Clara Parks, Miss Margaret Park, Mrs. D. T. Stuart, Miss Mary Lee Clarke, Miss Kathleen Whitfield, Miss Irma Hecht, Miss Mamie Dryfuss, Miss Carline Sowell, Mrs. Rabb Noble, Miss Blanche Buckner.

Colonial tea will be served by: Mrs. Charles Kiger, Mrs. Jas. Smith, Mrs. Harry McElwee, Mrs. Will Minnich, Mrs. Mark Worten, Misses Ethel Morrow, Hallie Hisey, Evelyn Walker.

Apron booth: Mrs. W. J. Hills, Mrs. Frank Parham, Mrs. Luke Russell, Mrs. Henry Overby, Mrs. C. H. Sherrill, Mrs. Sugars, Mrs. William Kidd, Mrs. James Utterback, Mrs. Emma Rehkopf.

Candy booth: Mrs. P. H. Sights, Miss Ada Enders, Miss Ella Sanders, Miss Neely Hatfield.

Flower booth: Mrs. J. C. Flournoy, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, Miss Faith Langstaff, Miss Virginia Kinney, Miss Louise Cox, Miss Elise Wright, Miss Henrietta Koger, Mrs. Allen Ashcraft, Miss Carrie Rieke.

Cake booth: Miss Helen Lowrie, Miss Adine Morton, Mrs. Allard, Miss Emma Reed, Mrs. James Koger, Mrs. E. W. Baker, Miss Ora Leigh.

The Country Store will be presided over by: Mrs. Charles Abbott, Mrs. H. G. Johnston, Mrs. H. H. Loving, Mrs. T. Cobourn, Mrs. Kate Craig, Mrs. Henry Grace, Misses Effie Murray, Helen Hills, May Owen, Helen Alcott, Robbie Loving, Bruce Wear, Mabel McNichols, Beulah Rogers, Mr. Harry Gilbert.

The Colonial Teatime tomorrow afternoon from 2:30 to 5 in celebration of Washington's birthday will be an especially delightful feature. Tea will be served by charming girls in Colonial costumes and beautiful souvenirs direct from New York will be given each guest.

The 6-o'clock dinner will be very elaborate, a nominal price of 35 cents will be charged, with oysters extra. The doors will be open at 5 o'clock. In addition to Deal's band there will

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THERE'S A REASON

be vocal music as well. There will be no door admission charged at any time.

Miss Ruth Brooks Dies in Rome.

The Louisville Times of yesterday announces the death of Miss Ruth Farrelly Brooks, of Brooks' Station, Bullitt county, Ky., in Rome, Italy, on yesterday morning. The cablegram of her death, received by her mother, Mrs. Mary Moore Brooks, was the first notice of any illness at all, so her death must have been very sudden. Miss Brooks has been in Rome for several months visiting her uncle, Father Farrelly, and friends here have heard from her various times since being there, and quite recently.

Miss Brooks is most pleasantly remembered here by many friends she made on a visit to Miss Mary Halloran one summer. She was a bright and charming girl and her sad death so far from home comes as a double shock to friends here and in Louisville, where she was also very popular.

Attractive Musicals Tonight.

Tonight at The Kentucky a delightful musical will be given under the auspices of the Catholic Knights and Ladies of America. An unusually attractive and elaborate program has been arranged, which includes a number of the city's most notable talent. Among those taking part will be Mrs. James Weille, Mrs. W. C. Schofield, Miss Blanche Buckner, Miss Anne Bradshaw, Miss Virginia Newell, Miss Frances Herndon, Mr. Harry Gilbert, Mr. Robert Scott, Mr. Will Green, Mr. Emmett Bagby, Mr. Robert Chastaine, Mr. Edward Robertson, Mr. T. Cooney, Judge Lightfoot, and Deal's orchestra.

Junior Class Entertainment.

The Junior Class of the High school will give a literary entertainment this evening in the auditorium of the High school. A stereopticon lecture on "Joan of Arc," by Prof. G. E. Payne will be an attractive feature of the occasion. It is an invited affair of the Junior Class of 1905.

Follencela Club.

Mrs. Victor Van de Male is hostess to the Follencela club this afternoon, at the Craig House on North Sixth street.

Delphic Club.

The Delphic club met this morning in regular session in the club room at the Carnegie library.

Mr. C. A. Sloan, of Golconda, is at the Palmer.

Mr. G. M. Cox, of Clinton, Ky., is at the Palmer.

Mrs. Robert Reeves has gone to Smithland to visit.

Mr. James Baird, of the Illinois Central freight department at Hopkinsville, has been granted a two months' leave of absence on account of ill health and is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Baird.

Hon. John K. Hendrick has gone to Smithland on a several days' visit. He received a hard fall in front of his boarding house yesterday, painfully bruising his face and injuring an eye.

Sheriff John L. Smith, of Kuttawa, Lyon county, is in the city.

Mr. Brack Owen went to Carbondale mines this morning on business.

Miss Nell Jack, of Danville, Ill., has returned home after visiting the family of Contractor Wm. Karnes, of North Sixth street.

Mrs. G. A. Bright, left today for Louisville to reside with his daughter Mrs. H. H. Harris.

Mrs. Wes Brown has returned from visiting Mrs. Elizabeth Manby, at Louisville.

Messrs. John L. Smith and M. T. Broughton, of Kuttawa, were at the Palmer today.

STARTS AGAIN.

Furniture Factory to Resume Thursday Morning.

The factory of the Paducah Furniture company on South Third street will resume Thursday morning after a six weeks suspension, and all the men usually employed will be back at work after that date. The factory has many contracts to fill, and its employees will be glad to learn of its resumption.

SICK PEOPLE.

Mr. H. R. Lindsay, of the Sutherland Medicine Co., is ill of congestion of the stomach at his home on North Ninth street.

Councilman John Rehkopf is ill, and was unable to attend the council meeting last night.

Mr. Otis T. Richey, of 335 North Sixth street is very ill.

Births.

Born to the wife of Mr. Vernon Bluett, of Bridge street, a fine boy baby.

Born to the wife of Engineer Gus Jennings a fine girl baby.

Wanted.

FOR WOOD—Phone Paducah Cooperaage Co., 242.

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WANTED—A large second-hand trunk 60 inches long, must be in good condition. Address J. care Sun.

WANTED—Lady as companion and light house work. Good reference required. Address W, care office.

PIANOS—Low prices; easy terms; pianos rented or tuned. Frank Dean, No. 201 South Third St. Old Phone No. 161.

FOUND in postoffice Saturday, one bunch of keys. Owner can have same by paying for this ad. Apply at The Sun office.

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FACTORY RESUMES—The factory of the Paducah Furniture company will resume operations Thursday morning, and all employees are notified to be on hand.

WANTED—A good white girl to cook for family of two. German preferred. No laundry. Position open March 1, but unless you can cook don't apply. Address X. B., care The Sun. Wages \$3.00 per week.

Notice.

R. J. Barber, J. P. McC. C. Commonwealth of Kentucky County of McCracken.

Taken up as a stray by R. C. Potter, living on the Olivet church road, in said county, six miles west of Paducah, and near Concord School house, in said county, one male calf, about eight months old, black in color with white bush on tail, and some white on the belly. No ear marks. Said calf was valued by Duke Williams, a householder and free holder of said county, at (\$5.00) five dollars.

This February 18, 1905.
R. J. BARBER, J. P. McC.

FIRST ANNUAL BALL

Of the Bartenders' International League, of America, Local No. 156.

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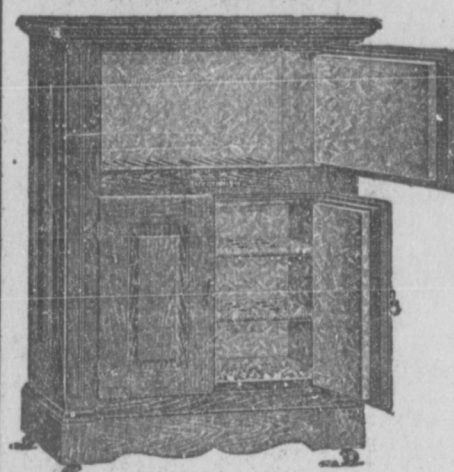
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Owing to the great increase in all the laundry supplies, wages and incidentals necessary to the business, to loss of accounts and expense of collecting, we have decided to establish the "Cash System" on and after February 27th, 1905. For convenience of customers, we will issue coupon books in denominations of \$1, 2, 3 and 5 dollars, on which we allow 5 per cent discount. Thanking our patrons for former favors, and soliciting a continuance of same, we are,

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Supt. Ragsdale Says the Census Here Is Rather Short.

County Supt. A. M. Ragsdale stated this afternoon in regard to the claim at Frankfort that the school census in some counties was being padded, that the census from McCracken county was incomplete, if anything, as in some districts as many as fifteen pupils have been found who were missed by the enumerator.

Notice

Our patrons are notified that on account of the increased cost of operation, and the difficulty and cost of collection, this laundry has decided to adopt the CASH SYSTEM strictly, and on and after Monday, February 27, 1905, all work done by us will be paid for at the time of delivery. We have arranged for the convenience of our customers Coupon Books in different denominations, from \$1 to \$5, by which change can be made in any amount. These books sell for cash only and are subject to a discount of 5 per cent. Our patrons will please govern themselves accordingly.

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Mr. Lemuel Rushing and wife have returned to La Center after visiting the former's sister, Mrs. A. E. Scott, of West Broadway.

Over the Border

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By...
**ROBERT
BARR,**
Author of "Jennie Baxter,
Journalist," Etc.

"Can you expect me to trust you?" asked the girl, coming back to the table.

"I suppose I have not earned your trust."

"Oh, but you have. I trust you implicitly because you stand under the shadow of the scaffold, and at a word from me the bolt is drawn. You will postpone all thought of revenge until your neck is out of the noose; of that I am very well convinced. I refuse to make terms with you, but I give my commands, which you must rigidly follow unless you court calamity. You will take Armstrong to the king and cease to block his way. You will see that we are free to leave Oxford and are unmolested while we are within these walls. One false move and you bring your doom upon you."

"I implore you to be calm, madam. I swear I will carry out your orders to the letter. Do not, I beg of you, take panic at any chance word by another."

"Unlock the door and leave me. See that you do not come again."

CHAPTER XXIII.

ON the morning of the fourth day Armstrong was delighted to learn from De Courcy that the king had recovered and would see him at noon. The foreigner engaged the envoy in a long conversation, the object of which was to discover whether or not the girl had said anything to him of the excited conference of the day before. The unsuspecting Scot, entirely off his guard, thinking he spoke with a friend, was read by the other like an open book, and De Courcy was speedily convinced that Frances Wentworth had kept her own counsel. This gave the spy renewed confidence, and as they walked down the street together De Courcy held his head higher than had been the case when he last turned his back upon the Crown Inn. His buoyant nature was quick to recover from depression, and his malice, fed anew from his late rebuff, set his alert mind at work to contrive some plan whereby he might save his wounded pride and avenge himself on the girl and his favored rival, even at some slight risk to himself.

Although the danger of exposure seemed imminent enough when he was with her, he knew that as she grew calmer and reflected upon the situation she would be more and more reluctant to wreck everything in order to bring punishment upon him. He would get them out of Oxford that day if possible, but he would instill a poison in the young lover's mind that would take all sweetness from the journey.

De Courcy had offered to show Armstrong the way to the king's rooms, so that there should be no delay when the Scot set out for his appointment at 12 o'clock, and they had now entered the quadrangle of Christchurch, which was deserted save for the guards at the gate. Armstrong thanked him for his guidance, and was turning away, when the other, who seemed about to speak, glanced at the soldiers on duty, then, thinking the spot ill chosen for what he had to say, invited the Scot to his room. They went up a stair together and entered De Courcy's apartment, the host setting out wine and asking his guest to seat himself.

"Has the lady who accompanied you quite recovered from her fatigue?" asked De Courcy indifferently.

"Well, as I told you, I met her yesterday for a few moments only, and I am sorry she was not in the highest spirits, but she will be the better for seeing the green fields again. Like myself, she is of the country, and does not thrive within the walls of a town."

"Yes, I noticed that when she was in London."

"In London? Did you know her in London?"

"Oh, hasn't she told you of our relationship? Perhaps I should not have mentioned it."

"What do you mean by your relationship? You are French; she is pure English."

De Courcy threw back his head and laughed, unheeding and indeed unnoticed the angry color mounting in a face that had grown suddenly stern. "My dear comrade, there are other relationships between a young man and a handsome woman than the ties of kinship. But those days are long past, and I should never have recalled them had it not been that you two have been traveling about the country together. I make no doubt, with an innocence that recalls the sylvan days of yore."

"Tell me in plain words what this relationship was to which you have referred."

"First answer me a question. Are you betrothed to Frances Wentworth?"

"No. I told you I acted the brother's part toward her in this journey."

"Oh, we all say that. But I am not in the least curious. If you intended to marry her, then were my mouth sealed. Very well, since you will have it, and I take your word as a gentleman, I pledge that you will say nothing to the girl of this until you are clear of Oxford. Know that I was once her betrothed. She was to have been my

as he asked:

"Which of my statements do you question?"

"No matter for that. We fight on this phrase in Scotland. No man ever called me liar and lived."

"'Tis a coarse phrase, I admit, and did I not represent my king—were I as free as you—you should have had my response in steel ere this. But I cannot wreck the king in a private quarrel of my own. Whether you killed me or I you, 'twould be equally disastrous to his majesty."

"I care nothing for the king. Draw, you poltroon, or I shall kill you where you sit."

"My dear Armstrong, I refuse to be murdered under a misapprehension on



"RISE, SIR WILLIAM ARMSTRONG."

wife, and would have been my wife today had her father not fallen."

"Your wife?"

"Yes. Her father gave me permission to pay my court to her. She could not have been much more than sixteen then, and I was her first lover, a personage that a girl never forgets. Her father's ruin changed my plans, and I refused to marry her. I announced this refusal to her in the seclusion of my own room in Whitehall and—"

"Sir, you lie!"

Armstrong's sword seemed to spring of its own will from the scabbard, and his hand drew it a-swish through the air with the hiss of a deadly serpent. The Frenchman shrugged his shoulders, but did not move. The three words of his opponent had been spoken very quietly, despite his impulsive action. De Courcy did not raise his voice

your part. I have said nothing against the girl. 'Tis all your own hot blood. And indeed your brawling is the girl's greatest danger; she might well tremble if she knew your present occupation. If you run your nimble sword through me, you give the girl to the fate that befell her father."

(To Be Continued.)

GETTING READY.

Democratic Candidates Preparing For a Lively Month's Campaigning.

The democratic candidates for county nominations expect to have joint debates all over the county beginning about March 1st. All the arrangements have not yet been made, but they will be as soon as possible. Some of the candidates are very anxious to get out on the raging stump while others are not so eager to go.

One said today in response to what this county debate was going to be like, and what was going to be talked about, that he believed it was going to be like a fight, and that he "heered they 'us goin' ter talk 'bout one another."

Itch—Ringworm.

E. T. Lucas, Wingo, Ky., writes April 25th, 1902: "For 10 to 12 years I had been afflicted with a malady known as the 'itch.' The itching was most unbearable; I had tried for years to find relief, having tried all remedies I could hear of, besides a number of doctors. I wish to state that one single application of Ballard's Snow Liniment cured me completely and permanently. Since then I have used the liniment on two separate occasions for ringworm and it cured completely. 25c., 50c. and \$1.00 bottle. DuBois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky."

A HOLIDAY.

No Session of Public Schools Tomorrow.

The city public schools will dismiss this afternoon to resume Thursday morning, tomorrow being Washington's birthday. Pupils are inclined to remain away a day or two when a holiday is given, and the teachers urge that while one day is given them, they are expected back the next morning.

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MISS BAGBY'S SUCCESS

An Outline Sketch of the Simple Life Drama.

BY THE SAVANNAH NEWS

The following from the Savannah News, is the first account received by the Sun of the Simple Life Comedy, in which Miss Aline Bagby is playing a prominent role, and which appears in this city on the 4th of March next. Paducah people will be delighted to read from the Savannah News, one of the leading journals in the south, the following very complimentary notice of the talented young actress.

"Savannahians, with the exception of a corporal's guard, missed a treat at the theater last night. The attraction was Mr. Charles Dickson, in 'The Simple Life,' a comedy satire on the book by Wagner. Probably the apparent impossibility of a clever dramatization of the book induced many to remain away from the theater. But the play was not a dramatization of Wagner's work; rather a comedy satire on the general theory advanced by that author in his widely read book, 'The Simple Life,' as presented by Mr. Dickson and his capable company, had the charm of being just a little different from anything seen here this winter. An interesting theme sustained the interest. Mr. Dickson's ingenious and mirth-provoking designs to stave off his creditors; the widow's strange impairment of memory, which made it impossible for her to remember anything concerning her first husband; and the infidelities of the lady stenographer and her world-wise husband furnished most of the humor in the play; though the society girls interested in the study of the simple life afforded a goodly share of entertainment. Mr. Dickson appeared as Theodore Sanguine, a worthy young man, who his eccentric uncle disinherits. He falls in love with a lady who thinks she is married, though it develops she was on her way to be married after having her baggage marked with her intended husband's name, and that she was hurt in an accident en route which impaired her memory. The story is slowly unravelled in charming and refreshing style. It concludes, of course, with their marriage. Incidentally, as a means of revenue the young man essays to teach lessons in simple life, which he knows nothing of. He is placed on his feet by a handsome reward offered for the return of a hapless dog which he has come into possession of. The most entertaining by-play in the production was the scene between Miss Adeline Bagby, as Mr. Sanguine's stenographer, and Mr. George T. Welch, the deputy sheriff. The scenes occasioned by Mr. Sanguine's artless attempts to reconcile the differences between the two—man and wife—were highly amusing if not altogether satisfactory. Miss Bagby's interpretation of the high-tempered, pouting, but repentant little wife, was delightful. The parts were well sustained, and the performance was thoroughly pleasing."

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